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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>			Docket No. 36507-193186
Application No. 10/666,547-Conf. #5549	Filing Date September 22, 2003	Examiner J. M. Hollington	Art Unit 2829

Applicant(s): Sohl et al.

Invention: **ENHANCED SUBSURFACE MEMBRANE INTERFACE PROBE (MIP)**

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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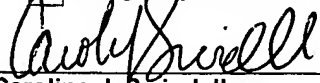
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Non-final Office Action dated August 7, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in a listing which begins on page 2.
- **Remarks** begin on page 12.

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time at the cost of \$60. However, if the Patent Office deems that any other fees are necessary, authorization is hereby granted to charge any other required fees to Deposit Account No. 22-0261 and Applicant respectfully requests notice to the undersigned.